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## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We write this in opposition to yet another takeover of a small company that is providing a local and very satisfying service. We as consumers are being forced every day to accept BIG CORPORATIONS as providers of most everything so we would like these takeovers to stop as much as we can. Your help is needed to stop this action. We all know from experience that every time a small business is taken by a corporation WE pay more.

James Dean